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TO AMEMBASSY OTTAWA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY CANBERRA IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY ROME PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY BRASILIA PRIORITY

USMISSION USUN NEW YORK PRIORITY

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LIMDIS, ROME FOR FODAG

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: AORG, UN, WFP

SUBJECT: WORLD FOOD PROGRAM DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

REF: (A) STATE 42013, (B) USUN 605

1. WE ARE REPEATING REFTELS TO YOU AS BACKGROUND FOR  
DEMARCHE WE WOULD LIKE YOU TO MAKE CONCERNING PLANS TO  
PLACE BERNARDO DE AZAVETO BRITO IN POST OF WFP DEPUTY  
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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. CANADA AND AUSTRALIA ARE SIGNIFICANT  
CONTRIBUTORS TO WFP WHICH WE FEEL ARE FRIENDLY AND LIKE-  
MINDED. FROM PAST CONTACTS IN ROME (AND NEW YORK) WITH  
BRITO, WE FEEL THEY ARE LIKELY TO SHARE OUR DISMAY OVER  
CHOICE AND CONCERN FOR WFP.

2. FOR OTTAWA. DEMARCHE SHOULD BE MADE AT HIGHEST

APPROPRIATE LEVEL AND SHOULD BE ALONG LINES PARA 3 REF A.

3. FOR CANBERRA. WE AGREE WITH USUN THAT PAUL KELLOWAY  
BEST PERSON TO CONTACT INITIALLY. WHILE INITIAL TALKING  
POINTS SHOULD BE THOSE PARA 7 REF B, EMBASSY CAN AS  
NEEDED SUPPLEMENT WITH HEAVY ARTILLERY FROM PARA 3 REF A.

4. WORTH NOTING FOR ALL ADDRESSEES IS:

-- VOGEL'S ADMISSION THAT BRITO FROM PURE TECHNICAL AND  
PAST EXPERIENCE POINT OF VIEW WOULD ORDINARILY NOT  
QUALIFY FOR POST; AND

-- THERE IS NO INDICATION THAT BRITO CANDIDACY BEING  
PUSHED BY BRAZILIAN GOVERNMENT. VANCE

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